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IN THE UNITED STATES ELECTED OFFICE (EO/US)

Applicant: Jan Hoydal et al.

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For: AN APPARATUS FOR SEPARATION OF A FLUID
FLOW, ESPECIALLY INTO A GAS PHASE AND
A LIQUID PHASE

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EXTENSION OF TIME REQUEST

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Attn: EO/US

Sir:

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Applicant respectfully requests a three-month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding "Notification of Missing Requirement ..." (Form PCT/DO/EO/905) dated March 12, 2002 on the above-identified application.

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A grant of this request would reset the response due date from May 12, 2002 to August 12, 2002.

Payment of \$920.00 the fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3) is included in our enclosed check for \$1090.00. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to deposit account No. 50-1145.

Respectfully submitted,

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